

FOR THE HONOUR OF GRAYSKULL

SHE-RA

EVERY
FORTNIGHT
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SHE-RA



BEGIN THE NEW YEAR ON ETHERIA

A LETTER FROM SHE-RA

Greetings from Etherial

Welcome to the festive ninth issue of **She-Ra**! Christmas is my favourite time of the year and I hope that I can celebrate it with all my co-readers with this extra special issue of my comic. Do write and let me know what you think of my Christmas stories and features.

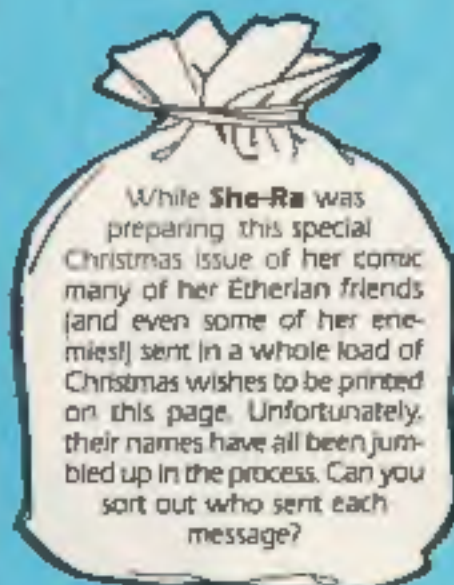
My next issue will be a New Year special, but as you'll have to wait until 8th January for it, I'll take this opportunity to wish all my fans a **Merry Christmas** and a **Happy New Year!**

Send all mail to: **SHE-MAIL, PO Box 111, Egmont House, Great Ducie Street, MANCHESTER, M60 3BL.**



ETHERIAN PUZZLES

SEASON'S GREETINGS!



1— Have a magical
Christmas!
CLAPALATESS

2— Enjoy your holiday—
while you still can!
DROKAH

3— I just know you'll have a
good Christmas!
WOLK

4— Season's Greetings,
suckers!
HECLE

5— Keep out of the cold this
Christmas!
RAFTOS

6— Hope the new year comes
up smelling of roses for
you!
MERAPUF

ANSWERS:

1— CASTAFELTA, 2— HORDAK, 3— KOWAL, 4— LEECH, 5— FROST, 6— PERFLAMA

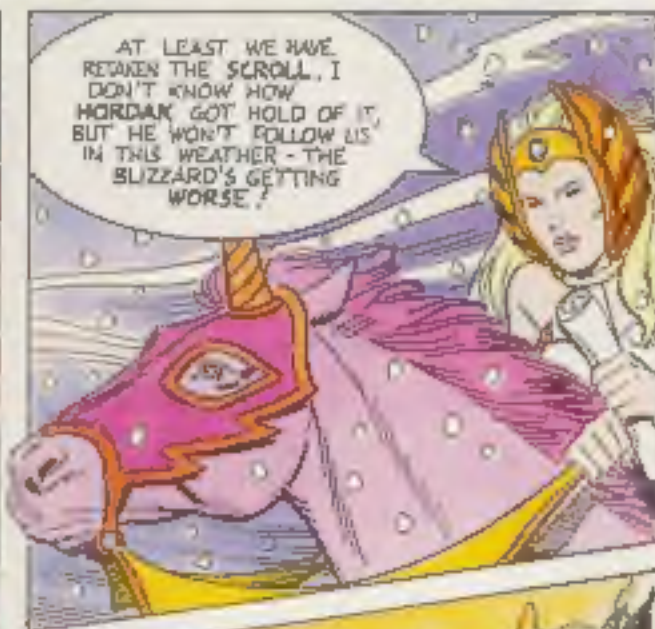
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THE SECRET OF THE SCROLL PART I

MID-WINTER ON ETHERIA, EACH YEAR AT THIS TIME A FESTIVE FORCE BURSTS FORTH FROM BEYOND THE EDGE OF THE UNIVERSE, TOUCHING EVERY HEART AND BRINGING JOY AND HAPPINESS NOT ONLY TO ETHERIA, BUT EVERYWHERE. THIS EVENT HAS MANY NAMES. HERE, IT IS CALLED THE SEASON OF GOODWILL.

SOME HEARTS THOUGH REFUSE TO BE SWAYED. THESE ARE FEW AND MOST ARE TO BE FOUND IN THE FRIGHT ZONE...

SO THE STRUGGLE AGAINST THE HORDE MUST CONTINUE CEASELESSLY...





MAYBE THIS IS THE FRIGHT ZONE. BUT I DON'T THINK WE'RE ON ETHERIA ANYMORE.

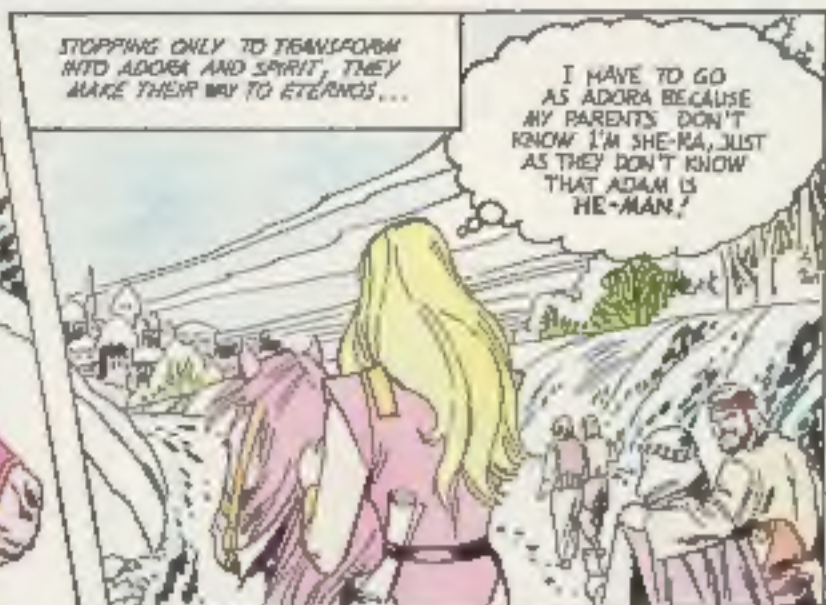
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

THERE'S AN AREA IN THE FRIGHT ZONE THAT BRIDGES THE DIMENSIONS AND EXISTS ON BOTH ETHERIA... AND ETERNIA!



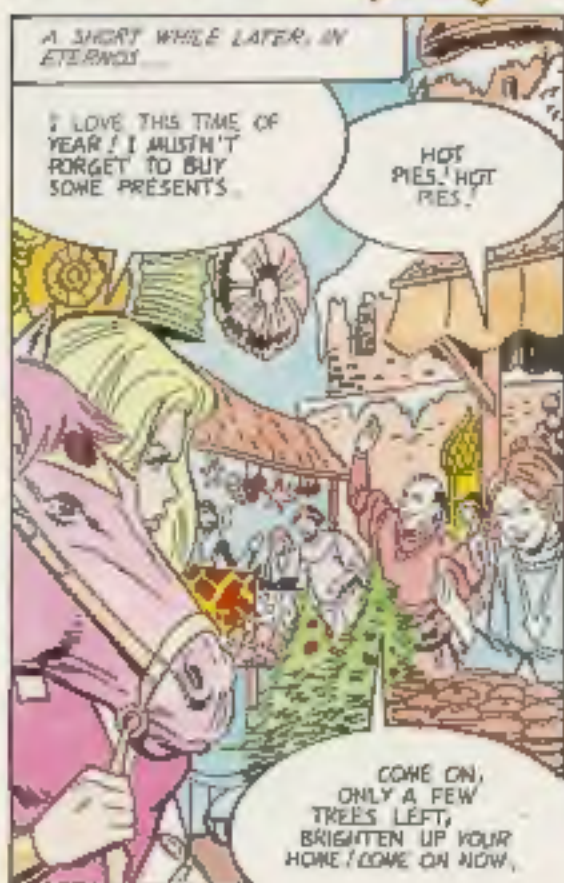
AND WE STUMBLED INTO IT, THEN WE'RE ON ETERNIA?

RIGHT. AND SINCE WE'RE HERE, I THINK WE'LL VISIT MY PARENTS, KING RANDOR AND QUEEN MARLENA, AND MY TWIN BROTHER, PRINCE ADAM. PERHAPS HE CAN HELP.



STOPPING ONLY TO TRANSFORM INTO ADORA AND SPIRIT, THEY MAKE THEIR WAY TO ETERNOS...

I HAVE TO GO AS ADORA BECAUSE MY PARENTS DON'T KNOW I'M SHE-RA, JUST AS THEY DON'T KNOW THAT ADAM IS HE-MAN!



A SHORT WHILE LATER, IN ETERNOS...

I LOVE THIS TIME OF YEAR! I MUSTN'T FORGET TO BUY SOME PRESENTS.

HOT PIES! HOT PIES!

COME ON, ONLY A FEW TREES LEFT, BRIGHTEN UP YOUR HOME! COME ON NOW.



"NOW'S THE SEASON OF GOODWILL, WHEN HEARTS ARE WARM AND BRIGHT. ALL ABOUT IS QUIET AND STILL, THE SNOW IS CRISP AND WHITE..."

PRINCESS ADORA!

SEASONS GREETINGS, MAN-AT-ARMS!



MOMENTS LATER, PRINCESS ADORA'S ARRIVAL IS ANNOUNCED IN THE THRONE ROOM...

ADORA, MY DAUGHTER!

OH, NOW I'VE MISSED YOU ALL. BUT THE STRUGGLE ON ETHERIA...

WELL, WE'LL NOT TALK ABOUT THAT NOW. THIS IS A TIME FOR CELEBRATION.



WHEN ADORA HAS FINISHED HER STORY...



AS HE-MAN AND SHE-RA RIDE ACROSS THE ETERNIAN PLAINS...

MEANWHILE, IN SNAKE MOUNTAIN...

I'D ALMOST FORGOTTEN
HOW BEAUTIFUL
ETERNIA IS. I WISH I
COULD COME HERE
MORE OFTEN!

IT'S
BEAUTIFUL, YES,
BUT IT'S ALSO
DANGEROUS. SKELETOR
NEVER LETS UP
FOR A MINUTE!

WHAT'S THIS? HE-MAN
AND FEMALE COPY-CAT?
BUT WHAT'S THAT
THEY'RE CARRYING?
A SCROLL?

WHY ARE YOU
SO INTERESTED,
EVIL ONE?
IT'S ONLY A
SCROLL...



IF IT'S SO IMPORTANT
THAT IT TAKES TWO OF
THEM TO GUARD IT,
THEN I WANT IT!

WE MUST
AMBUSH THEM
BEFORE THEY CAN
REACH CASTLE
GRAYMULL.

A
SHORT
WHILE
LATER...

ARE YOU SURE THIS
IS A GOOD IDEA,
MASTER? THERE ARE
TWO OF THEM!

QUIET, YOU WHINING
FUR-BALL! I WANT
THAT SCROLL,
DO YOU HEAR
ME? NOW
LISTEN...



ATTACK!

AMBUSH!

SWORD
TO...



SHE-MAIL

Dear She-Ra,
I would like to know if you feel brave when you are fighting Hordak's evil people? Also, it would make me very happy if Glimmer would write a letter to me.

**Teresa Louise Aspinall,
MANCHESTER**

Thank you for writing to me, Teresa. Naturally I feel a bit afraid when I have to fight Hordak's evil people. It upsets me that we have to settle our argument with weapons instead of talking. If Glimmer, or any of my friends, stopped fighting against the Horde to find the time to write to people on earth Hordak might take that opportunity to win the war!

Dear She-Ra,
I have three questions I would like you to answer: Why are you called She-Ra? Why do you have a sword and why do you have an enemy? Please answer these questions.

Mark Secuar, LONDON.

Thank you for your questions, Mark. My name was given to me by Light Hope to keep my real name of Adora a secret. My sword is one of the most modern weapons on Etheria and is vital in my battle against Hordak. Lastly, I have an enemy not because I want one but because Hordak wants to rule my planet. Light Hope gave me the job of protecting Etheria...and that means I must fight against the evil of Hordak.

Dear She-Ra,
Why is Hordak so bad? I would also like to know why he is always fighting with you and do you always win?

Jillian Loughran, LURGAN.

Hordak is evil because he is mean and always wants his own way. He doesn't care about other people's feelings and is very greedy. Because of this he was used by Horde Prime as part of the Evil Horde. Hordak doesn't always win his fights and you will see a few stories in future issues in which I lose.

Dear She-Ra,
What would happen if your sword did not work and Swift Wind ran away?

**Elizabeth Alnsworth,
NOTTINGHAM.**

If both of those terrible things happened to me I would be in a lot of trouble! My sword and Swift Wind are a great help to the Rebellion but even without these I think we would just about beat Hordak. With the Sword of Protection and Swift Wind to help I think we'll beat Hordak a lot sooner!



SHE-RA™

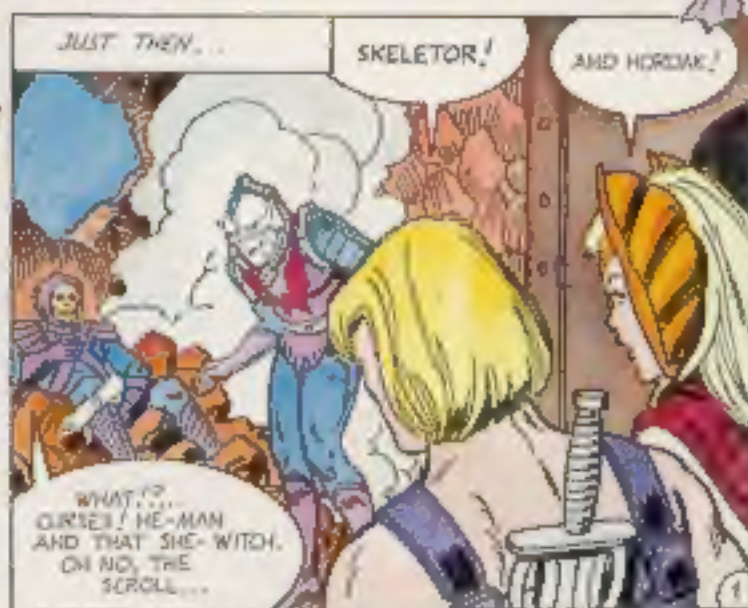
THE SECRET OF THE SCROLL

PART II

IN THE DEPTHS OF SNAKE MOUNTAIN, SKELETOR STUDIES HIS PRIZE - THE MYSTERIOUS SCROLL STOLEN FROM SHE-RA...



SUDDENLY, HORDAK MATERIALISES IN THE CHAMBER...



BUT SKELETON'S CRY COMES TOO LATE, SEIZING THE SCROLL, MORDAK ACTIVATES HIS DIMENSIONAL TELEPORT DEVICE - AND DISAPPEARS...



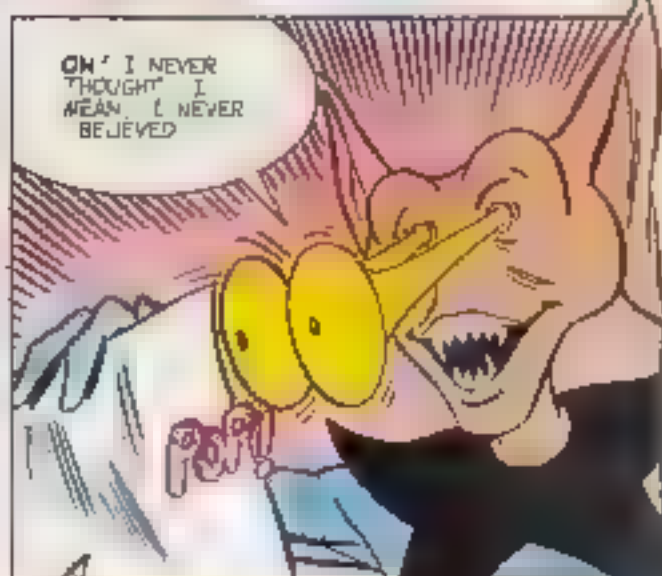
LEAVING SKELETON TO CURSE HIS MISFORTUNE, HE-MAN AND SHE-RA RIDE TO CASTLE GRAYSKULL, WHERE...

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE PORTAL...



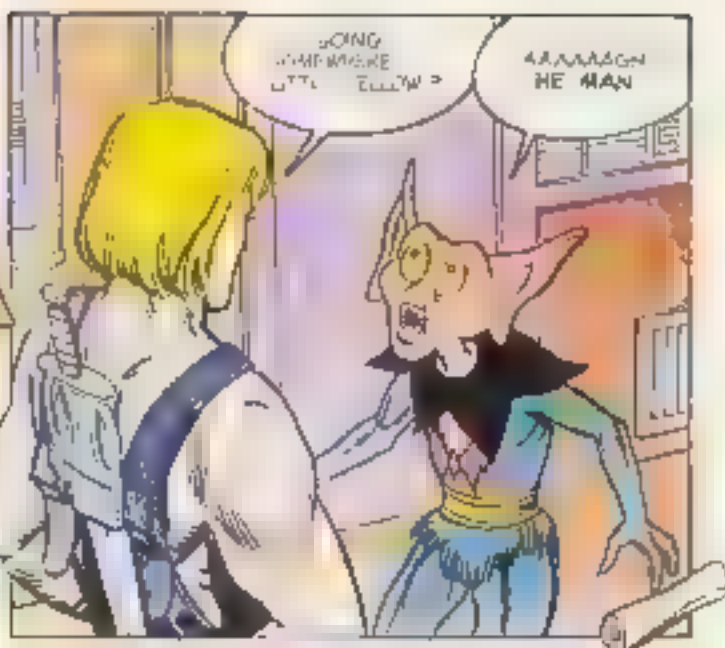


ONCE AWAY FROM THE THRONE ROOM



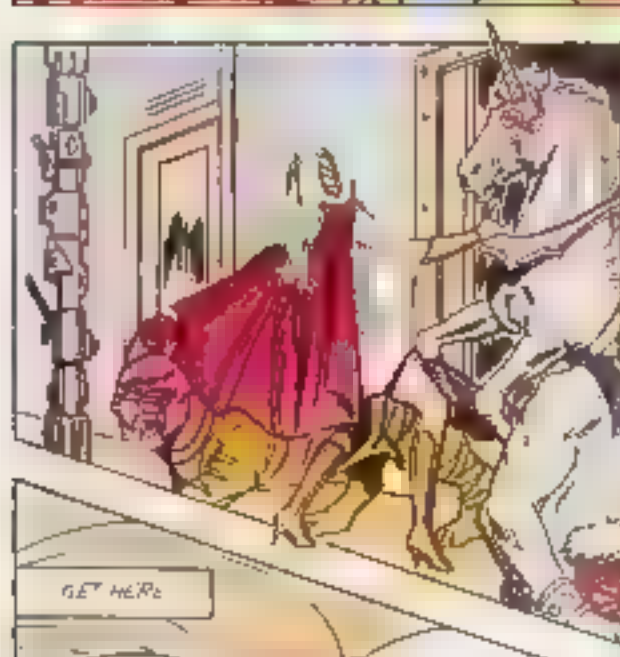


GLEEEERP



LONG
AND WIDE
LITTLE
TALL

AAAAAGH
HE MAN



HELLOO!

WE'VE GOT
TO GET OUT
WE'VE GOT TO LEAVE
BEFORE THE
KING OF THE
MOUNTAINS



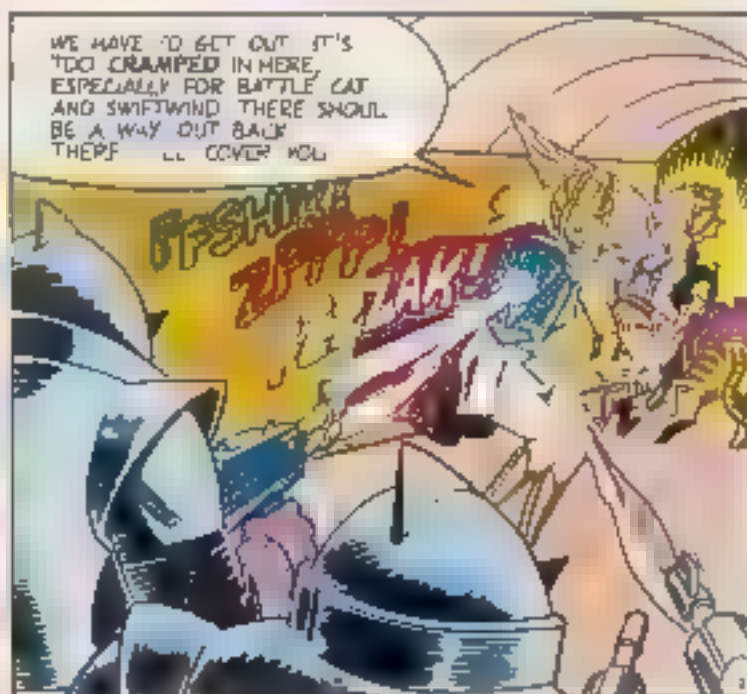
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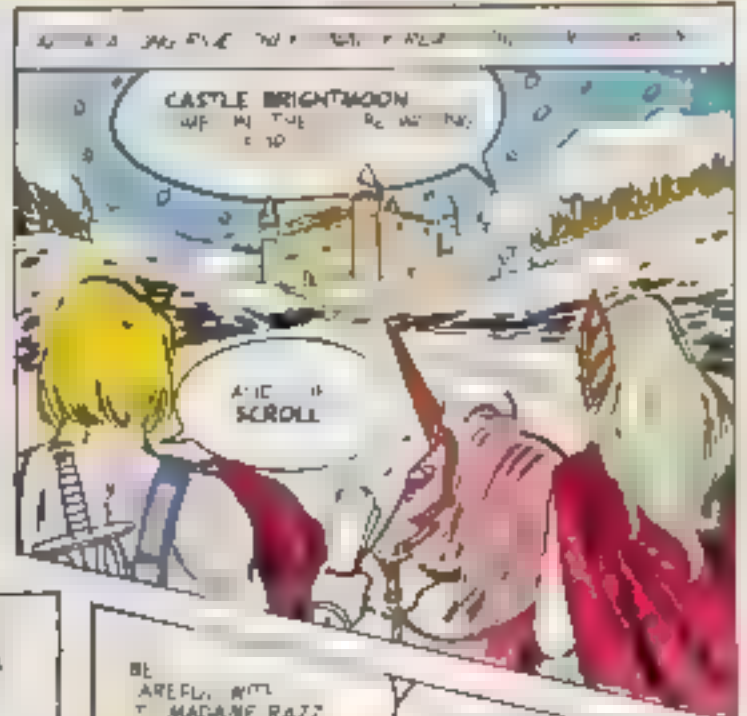
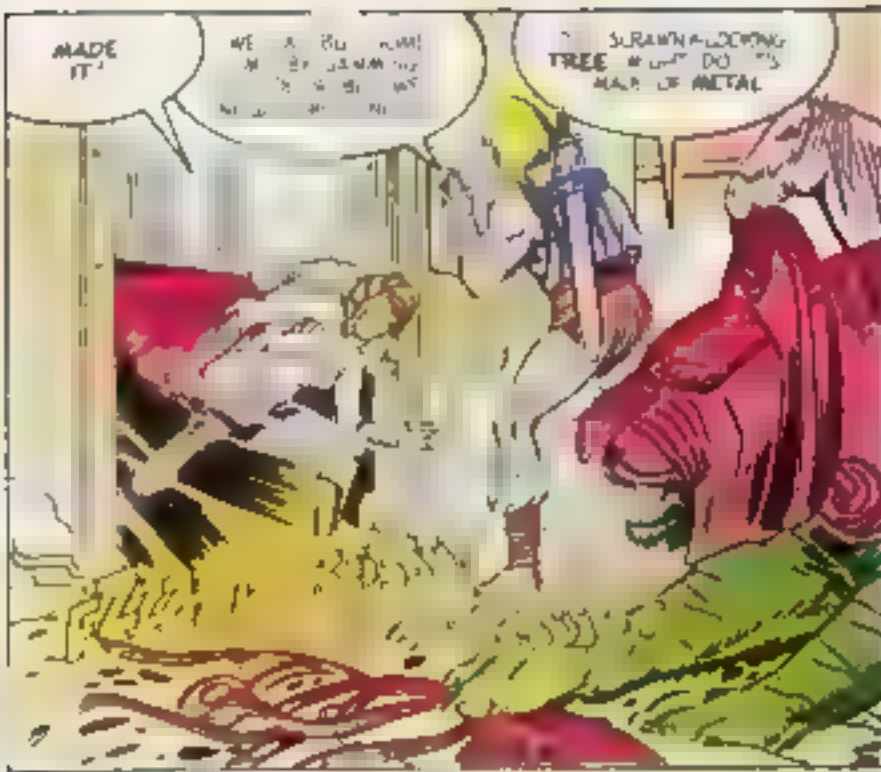
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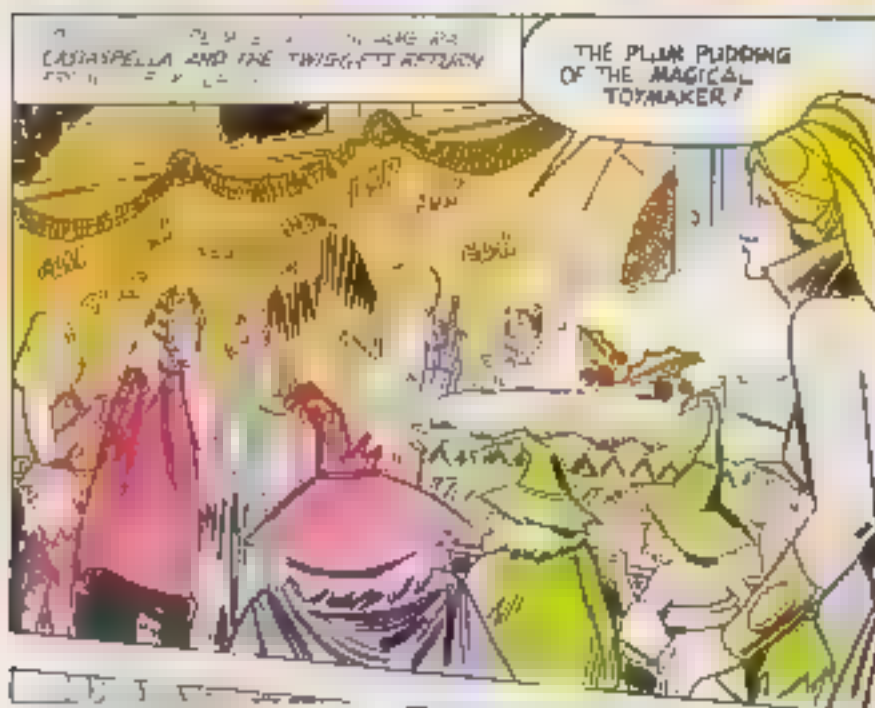
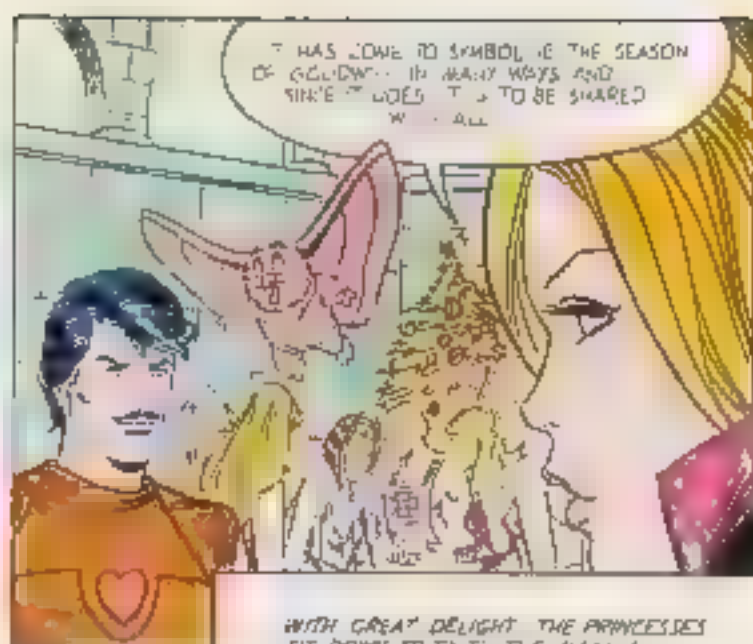
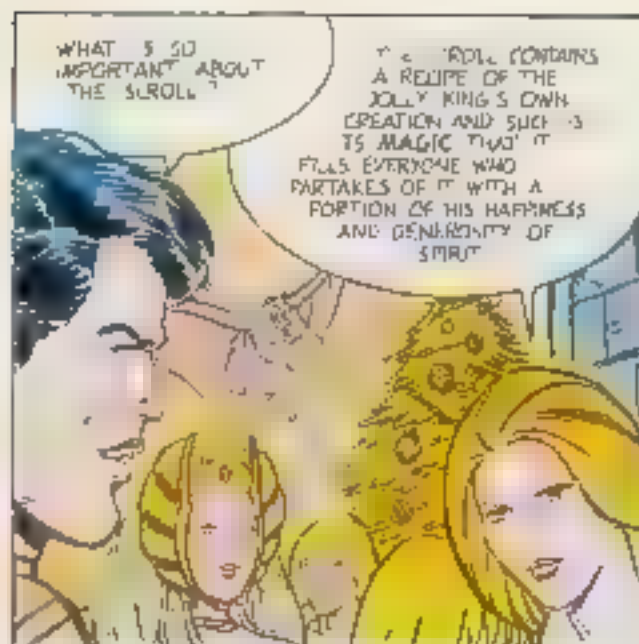
MY SWORD
LEFT TO HOLD
IT FOR A
WHILE

SWORD TO
SHIELD



WE HAVE TO GET OUT IT'S
TOO CRAMPED IN HERE
ESPECIALLY FOR BATTLE CAT
AND SWIFTWIND THERE SHOULD
BE A WAY OUT BACK
THERE'LL COVER YOU





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POLAR PERIL

I THOUGHT
YOU WOULD NEED
TO KNOW AS
SOON AS
POSSIBLE

THE
AREA IS THE
PALACE OF
THE

SHE-RA

WHY WOULD HORDAK
BE INTERESTED IN
THE POLAR REGION
OF ETHERIA? HE HAS
NEVER TROUBLED
US BEFORE

THE
AREA IS THE
PALACE OF
THE

I MUST FLY AS QUICKLY
AS POSSIBLE. I ONLY
HOPE THAT SHE-RA IS
STILL IN THE WHISPERING
WOOD

WHATEVER HE'S
DOING, IT CAN'T BE
GOOD FOR THE REBELLION.
I THINK I'D BETTER
PASS THIS NEWS ON
TO SHE-RA

SOON AS THE
PALACE OF

IT'S A
STRANGE
MESSAGE

IT'S A
MESSAGE FROM
FROSTA. WE ONCE AGREED
THAT IF SHE EVER
SENT A SNOW GOOSE
THAT I WAS TO GO TO
HER AND STRAIGHT
AWAY

AND
THAT'S ALL
WHAT
INTEND
TO DO

WITHOUT WAITING A
MOMENT SHE RA
PREPARED TO LEAVE

SWIFT WIND'S INCREDIBLE
POWER MAKES SHORT
WORK OF THE LONG JOURNEY
L'FAC'S A T HOME

WE'RE
HERE AT LAST
SWIFT HERE'S
PREPARED TO GREET U

WAAA THERE!
DOESN'T SEEM
BE AN' HIN'S
WONDER
HIN'S
PROBLEM

UP
WIND
UP AND
AWAY

WE'VE
ALL MANAGED
MAKE IT
UP HERE

ALL
JULIET HERE'S
A MOMENT

AS THE A
DUPLOA
HIN'S
ARISE

WE WERE
RUNNING FOR
ME IF THERE WAS AN
INTEREST IN THE AREA
THAT'S ANOTHER
THAT WE KNOW
WILL BE

IT'S AN EASY
TO SWIFT AND
US A WEEK
SCATE ALL
ALONG THE
ILE

HOT WAY
WE SHOULD BE
THERE IN NO TIME
A ALL

WITHIN A
SHORT
WHILE

YOU WERE
RUNNING THE DRE-
KAWIN AT
THE TINY POT
TOWER

HUNT
KNOW WHAT
THING IS BL'
SUGGESTS THAT
WE GET LOSE
AND FIND OUT

US
THEN

WHAT, WHAT
THAT NOISE

THE RA
DOK OUT
T'S A

BATHEX!

SWEEPING
DOWN TOWARDS
US AND
FIRING

WE'VE JULON
PO' HIN'S FAY HERE
AND KEEP JODGING
IT I'LL HAVE TO
DO SOMETHING

ZZZAPPPP

WAAA
I HAVE AN
IDEA E'S HOPE
THIS WILL

FROM A KEEP WELL
DOWN THE IS GOING
TO MAKE SURE
SE AND WIN'S

LET ME
BE A LITTLE
ON THE

DUCK!

TURN!

AND THE
SWORD TO
ROPE

IF I
CAN JUST
LEADLY
DANCE

HE WILL BE
A WHILE BEING THAT
HE IS WITH THE
SUN IN THE
MIDDLE OF THE
MIDDLE OF THE
MIDDLE OF THE

AND I
WANT TO KNOW
THE
SUN AT THE
SAME TIME WE
ARE

GET
NOW WE ARE
NOT BE A RUN
TO BOW

THE ASTRAL MEN THAT YOU SEE
BEFORE YOU IS MY HECUBOMB A
POWERFUL DEVICE ABLE TO
RELEASE AN INFERNO THAT WILL
MELT ALL THE ICE OF THIS POLE

AND IT
IS SET TO
DETONATE IN A
VERY SHORT
WHILE

WE MUST
DESTROY
IT BEFORE
IT EXPLODES
THEN

THAT IS THE BEAUTY OF MY
WEAPON YOU AUDACIOUS
REBELS WILL EXPLODE WHEN
THOSE TWO WIRES MEET AS
YOU CAN SEE THEY ARE
GETTING NEARER WITH
EACH PASSING MOMENT

BUT IF YOU TOUCH THE
WEAPON OR MOVE THE
WIRES ARE SET
TO CLAP TOGETHER
A PERFECT PLAN
IS IT?

YOU FOUL
FEND IF YOU
EXPLODE THIS BOMB
IT WILL CAUSE UNTOLD
DESTRUCTION
THROUGHOUT
ETHERIA

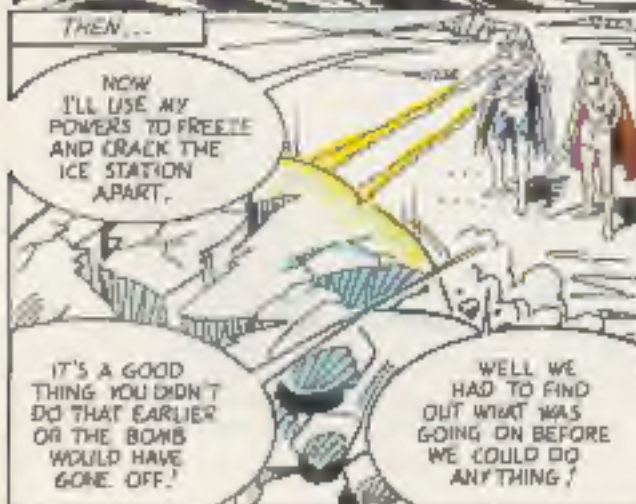
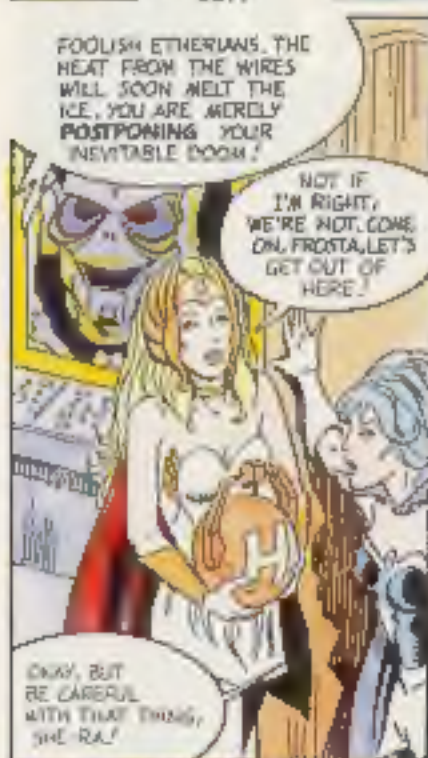
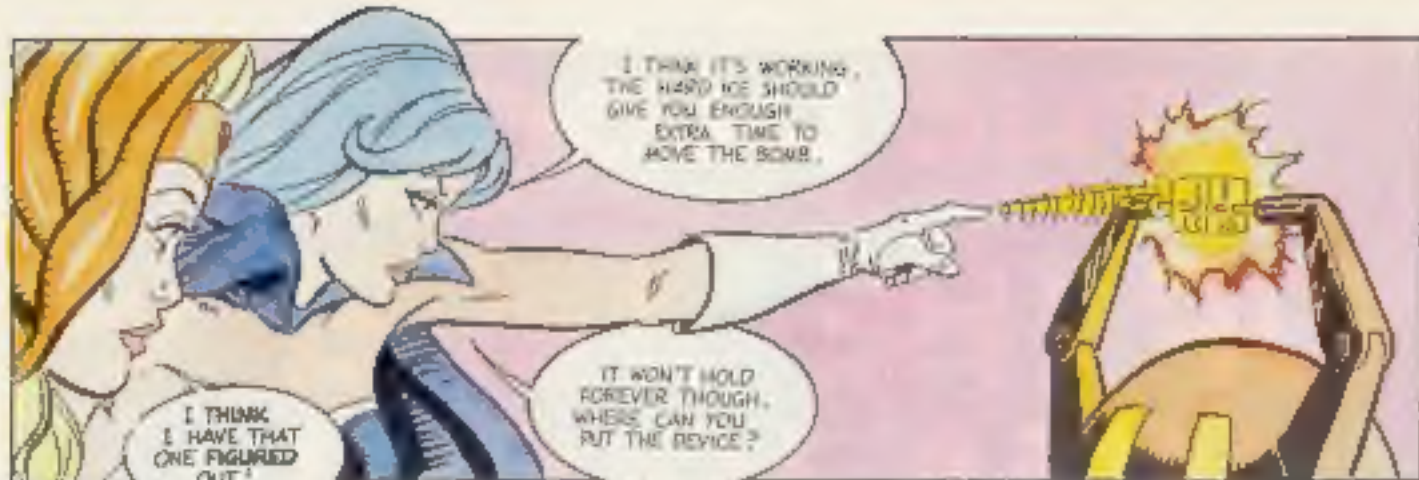
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SOMETHING
AND

BUT IF YOU'RE
WRONG WHAT
WILL WE DO
THEN

WANT WE CAN
KNOW FREE THE POWERS
ON THE AIR BETWEEN
THESE WIRE IF WE
FIGHT THE ICE THAT YOU
FORM WOULD PROVEN
THEN TOUCHING



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